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FORMER HEADMASTER HONORED — Edmond J. Vachon, retired Gould Academy headmaster, stands beside his portrait which will hang in the Gould library in recognition of the eight years he served as headmaster at the culmination of a total of 27 years on the faculty. A lieutenant colonel (retired), U. S. A. R., Mr. Vachon is currently treasurer of the Bethel Savings Bank. To symbolize these three areas of

special interest to his subject, the artist has depicted in the background of the portrait the Gould Academy flag, the American flag, and the Seal of the Savings Bank Association of Maine. Deane Keller of New Haven, Conn., who painted the portrait, is a professor of art at Yale University and has painted many portraits of school, college, and government officials, some 30 of which are in the Yale University art collections.

COMMENTS FROM THE OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER

There will be a meeting of the Budget Committee tonight (Thursday). This should be the final meeting of the year as we now know the amount the school directors are recommending for their budget.

Within the last few days several have taken out nomination papers for offices to be vacated.

We have been notified by the State Dept. of Audit there is little chance of having our audit report in time for inclusion in the town report. They were short of personnel last year and this year they lost three more of their experienced men.

We are in the process of having the town maps revised. The old sheets were in very bad condition due to constant use for ten years. There are some corrections being made in areas that have come to our attention. We are also having some of the sheets done to a larger scale. There are no plans for changing values of property as a result of this project unless errors are revealed on lot size, frontage distances or other factors that determine value.

Elwyn Dickey

WEEK END SKIING ACCIDENT FATAL TO POLAND YOUTH AT SUNDAY RIVER SKIWAY

A Poland youth lost his life in a skiing accident at Sunday River Skiway on Sunday morning.

According to Larry Cox, ski area manager, Leigh S. Flynt, 17 years old, died of a head injury at about mid-morning Sunday. He was examined and pronounced dead at the scene by Dr. Donald Anderson of Auburn, a state medical examiner.

Young Flynt was born at Augusta on Aug. 21, 1952, the son of William F. and Joan Sullivan Flynt. He was a member of the junior class at Edward Little High School in Auburn, where he was a member of the cross country and skiing teams. He was a member of the National Junior Biathlon Team, and was a member of the Sugarloaf Ski Club.

Surviving are his parents, of Poland; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Monneau of Berlin, N. H., and Miss Elizabeth Flynt of Poland; two brothers, William and John Flynt, both of Poland; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Sullivan of Augusta.

Memorial services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Poland Community Church with The Rev. James Fletcher officiating.

MRS. MOORES NAMED TO GIRL SCOUT DIRECTORS' BOARD

Mrs. Blaine Moores of Bethel has been appointed a member of the board of directors of Kennebec Girl Scout Council to fill an unexpired term. It has been announced by Mrs. John W. Holt of Cape Elizabeth, Council President. Mrs. Moores is a former Brownie Girl Scout troop leader. The board is responsible for managing the affairs of the council.

PORTLAND PRIEST DIES OF INJURIES SUFFERED IN SKIWAY ACCIDENT

A Portland priest injured in a skiing accident at Sunday River Skiway on Sunday afternoon died at the Maine Medical Center in Portland on Tuesday.

The Rev. Patrick J. Hayes, 42, suffered multiple internal injuries, his doctor said, when he skidded off an icy patch on a trail at the Sunday River ski resort and slammed into a tree.

Father Hayes, a native of Presque Isle, was an assistant pastor at St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church in Portland.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY TO MEET FEB. 2

The Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital will meet Monday, Feb. 2, at the Congregational Church at 8 p. m. A film on self-examination for breast cancer will be shown. The public is cordially invited to attend.



BETHEL COUPLE NAMED COUNTY CO-CHAIRMEN OF 4-H CLUB FUND RAISING

Russell Clark, Oxford County Extension Agent, welcomes Mr. and Mrs. Roger R. Conant, Bethel, new fund raising Co-Chairmen for Oxford County 4-H Clubs through the Pine Tree 4-H Club Foundation.

Mrs. Conant, the former Lillian Rowe, was a member of Mrs. Irene Haggood's South Paris Ready Workers 4-H Club for 11 years. She won highest county and state 4-H honors including the 4-H Dress Revue and also was Maine winner of the National 4-H Club Congress Chicago Trip in the Recreation Project. She represented the Maine 4-H organization at a New England Leaders Conference in Massachusetts.

Mr. Conant, manager of the Bethel Branch Casco Bank and Trust Company, is a member of the Bethel Lions Club, the Greater Bethel

Russell Clark, Mrs. Roger Conant, and Mr. Conant.

Area Chamber of Commerce of which he is a past Treasurer; Junior Deacon A. F. and A. M.; President of the Area Development Corporation; Treasurer Dollars for Scholars; Collector West Parish Congregational Church and a member of Mount Mica Lodge I. O. O. F.

As Oxford County Co-Chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. Conant will be assisted by the Extension Organization, 4-H Leaders Organization and many other organizations and individuals throughout the area.

Funds will be used to help finance educational 4-H activities, sending delegates and leaders to National 4-H Center, Washington, D. C. for citizenship and leadership training, State 4-H Dairy Show and winners going to Eastern States Exposition, 4-H Camps, delegates to Junior Leader Training at Orono, International Farm Youth Exchange delegates, etc.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH ANNOUNCES NEW PASTOR

The West Parish Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, takes great pleasure in introducing to the communities of Bethel and environs its newly elected pastor, the Reverend Thomas L. Caton. The Rev. Mr. Caton and his wife, Sandra, come to us the local church upon concluding a successful ministry in Lincoln, Maine, at the First Congregational Church there.



Rev. Thomas L. Caton

SOME INTEREST SHOWN IN CONTESTS FOR LOCAL OFFICE

Some interest has been shown this week in local offices that will be filled at the annual election on Monday, March 2.

The term of Howard Gunther on the Bethel board of selectmen expires this year. At the present time nomination papers for the post have been secured from the Town Office by John T. (Ted) Grover, Samuel Timberlake, Charles (Phil) Taylor, and Walter Osgood.

Bethel members of the SAD 44 board of directors whose terms expire this year are Mrs. Musa Brown and Theodore Chadbourne. To date nomination papers for these positions have been secured by Clarence Remington, Dexter M. Stowell, John K. Brown, and Rev. Richard Parker.

Nomination petitions must be returned to the Town Clerk by Monday, Feb. 9, three weeks before the annual town meeting.

COUNTY REPUBLICAN COM. TO MEET AT TELSTAR FEB. 12

Belmont House of Bryant Pond, Oxford County Republican Committee chairman, has announced that a county committee meeting and Lincoln Birthday dinner will be held Thursday evening, Feb. 12, at 6:30, at Telstar Regional High School, Bethel.

Speaker for the night will be Calvin Gross, Sebago Lake, associate professor of physics at Gorham State College. Gross is an announced Republican candidate for governor. Following the dinner, a county committee meeting will be held. Caucus material from the State committee will be available at this time for all town chairmen.

An all day "Workshop of Worship" was held Wednesday at the Congregational Church sponsored by the S. W. District Women's Fellowship of Oxford Union Association with about 40 people attending from Bethel and surrounding areas.

BAKED BEAN SUPPER

FRI., FEB. 6 — 6:00 O'CLOCK
Adults \$1.25 Students 75c
Beans — Rolls — Fruits
Benefit Telstar Boosters

S. A. D. 44 DIRECTORS APPROVE \$1.5 MILLION BUDGET — VOTERS TO MAKE DECISION FEB. 18

The board of directors of S. A. D. 44 Monday evening approved a \$1,573,075 gross budget for 1970 that would result in a net budget of \$742,108 to be raised by district taxation, about a 24.8% increase over 1969. The special session was held in the Telstar auditorium due to the large attendance of interested citizens. The district's voters will take action on the budget at the annual District Budget meeting to be held on Wednesday, Feb. 18.

In reviewing a budget submitted by Supt. Ralph Ryder, the directors reinstated funds in the amount of \$6,000 for an adult education program, and made cuts of \$3,300 in the replacement of vehicles section of Transportation, as well as eliminating \$6,500 in the Maintenance account that would have provided funds for an additional District maintenance man.

An attempt to reinstate funds for a half-day kindergarten teaching position at Andover Elementary School was defeated.

The approved budget reflects elimination of seven staff positions at Telstar Regional High School and no provision for additional instructors at the elementary level.

The budget approved by the board of directors is as follows:

Administration	\$ 35,672
Instruction	868,479
Attendance	100
Health	9,135
Transportation	106,034
Operation of Plant	120,452
Maintenance of Plant	18,429
Fixed Charges	21,450
Food Services	68,771
Student Body Activities	4,308
Capital Outlay	12,069
Debt service	306,256
Outgoing transfer	1,020

Total gross budget \$1,573,075
Less Estimated Receipts 742,108

Net budget \$ 830,967

The district's share (net) of the budget approved by the directors would be assessed to the towns as follows (compared to 1969 and increase):

	1969	1970	Increase
Andover	\$215,480	\$208,064	\$52,504
Bethel	243,372	303,801	60,429
Greenwood	91,264	113,926	22,662
Newry	28,890	36,064	7,174
Woodstock	81,671	108,192	21,521

Totals \$665,677 \$800,067 \$136,290
Each town's share: Andover, 32.37%; Bethel, 36.56%; Greenwood, 13.71%; Newry, 4.34%; Woodstock, 13.02%.

Board members not present at the Monday evening meeting were: Rodrick Sidlinger of Andover, and William Cousins of Bethel.

The next regular meeting of the SAD 44 board of directors will be held Monday evening, Feb. 2 at 7:30 in the library at Telstar Regional High School.

Deedee Bunker of Aroostook State College is a guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young and Nancy. She is a 1969 graduate of Gould.

THE FORGOTTEN MAN

Who is the Forgotten Man? He is the clean, quiet, virtuous, domestic citizen, who pays his debts and his taxes and is never heard of out of his little circle.

The Forgotten Man, delving away in patient industry, supporting his family, paying his taxes, casting his vote, supporting the church and the school.

He is the only one for whom there is no provision in the great scramble and the big divide. Such is the Forgotten Man. He works, he votes, generally prays—but his chief business in life is to pay. — (W. G. Sumner, 1883)

BETHEL AND VICINITY

— Mrs. Robert Keniston, Corres. —
David B. Brown returned to his home in Tacoma, Wash., last Thursday.

Mrs. Elvira Lurvey has been moved to the Norway hospital following a fall.

Robert Stearns of Northwest Bethel, is a patient at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Raymond Buck returned home Sunday from Norway hospital where she underwent surgery.

William "Bill" Chapman is reported somewhat improved at the Rumford Community Hospital.

S. N. Roger Dock returned to duty in Washington, D. C. on Monday following an eight day leave at his home.

Rev. and Mrs. Richard Hamilton of Caribou have adopted a baby boy, aged five months, named Christopher William.

Mrs. Rena Abbott and Mrs. Betty Blake were in North Conway, N. H., Wednesday, guests of Mrs. David Brown, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Fraser and family of Hazleton, Pa., are spending this week visiting relatives in Bethel and Sunday River.

Mrs. Kimball Ames and Mrs. Dexter Stowell attended a workshop on Thursday, Jan. 29, at the Brunswick Congregational Church.

Gretchen Dock has been named to the Dean's List at Boston University School of Music for the first semester of her sophomore year.

Sunset Rehearsal Lodge will hold a regular meeting at the hall at 8 o'clock Monday evening, Feb. 2. A tasting party will follow the meeting.

George Angevine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Angevine, has recently received a promotion by the U. S. Army. His address is PFC George Angevine 007-46 0250, Eng. Sec. Tuslog Det. 76, APO New York, N. Y. 09380.

On Sunday, January 25, Roger Dock hosted at a birthday buffet honoring his father, Norman Dock. Guests included were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin S. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. J. Peter MacGregor, Mr. and Mrs. John Greenleaf, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hollis, Mrs. Arnel K. Brown, Nancy and Betsy Brown (with delicious brownies made by sister Malinda), Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dock, Jim and Nancy.

The January Woodturners and Shapers meeting was held Thursday through Sunday at the Sheraton-Boston Hotel in Boston. Those attending from Bethel were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. John Tebbets, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hollis, Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Stowell.

MOTHERS' MARCH TONIGHT

Tonight (Thursday) a volunteer will be calling in your area for the March of Dimes. Please welcome her.

395 RECEIVED DEGREES AT U-M WINTER COMMENCEMENT

Some 395 students from the Orono, Portland and Augusta campuses of the University of Maine were candidates for degrees at the 138th Commencement Exercises of the State University Saturday evening, Jan. 24, at Memorial Gymnasium, Orono. Of this total eight were doctoral candidates, 71 were candidates for master's degrees and four were seeking certificates of advanced study. The 395 candidates constituted a record for the mid-winter commencement at the university.

Candidates for degrees from Oxford County were:

Bethel: Natalie H. Timberlake, education (with high distinction); Bryant Pond: Allan L. Twitcheil, agricultural mechanization.

Rumford: Lance A. Gallant, education; Stephen B. Griffin, agricultural and resource economics; Gary F. Landry, civil engineering; Dennis A. Olsen, education; Russell H. Plante, engineering physics; Warren M. Shatzer, business administration; Carol L. Smart, sociology.

Advanced degree:

South Paris: Carolyn E. C. Jacobson, home economics.

GOULD PLANET EARTH CLASS TO PRESENT SYMPOSIUM ON THE ANDROSCOGGIN

On Monday, February 2, Gould Academy's Planet Earth class will be presenting a symposium on the Androscoggin River dealing with its origins, how industry uses it; the cooperation that exists between neighboring states, such as New Hampshire and Maine, in handling such a water course, how conservation view the River, how Fish and Game people view it, how it is used by the federal government, New England Water Basis Commission, and the town of Bethel. Obviously paramount in this is the concern over pollution.

The public is invited to attend at 9:15 a. m. in Bingham Auditorium.

MARCH OF DIMES TO HOLD ANNUAL RADIO AUCTION FEB. 1

The Oxford County March of Dimes will hold their annual radio auction over the Rumford radio station, WRUM, on Sunday, Feb. 1, from 1 to 4 p. m. There have been many outstanding items donated by merchants and business establishments in the Bethel, Rumford, Mexico and Dixfield area. Auctioneers will be Stuart Martin, Julian Israelson and Paul Leasard.

All proceeds of the auction will go to the March of Dimes to fight birth defects.

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WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Lena Gilbert, Corres.

The Y. W. C. A. S. will meet on Monday, Feb. 2, at the home of Mrs. Thelma Harrick.

The Ladies Chapel Aid will meet on Wednesday, Feb. 11, at the home of Mrs. Frances Bennett.

Mrs. Franklin Harris visited her daughter and family the William Dickson Jr.'s in Rumford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Herrick and family of Mechanic Falls visited their son and family, the Chester Herrick's Sunday.

Reginald Gilbert, Lee Ann and Roberts Gilbert went up the trail to Webster's mine Monday evening with some neighbors. They saw a large bob cat, but he got out of the way fast when he saw the headlights on the machines.

There has been a lot of sickness reported the last two weeks. Several students have been unable to attend school from this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downing of West Paris were visitors Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Loveloy's.

Mrs. Kenneth Loveloy is with her daughter's family, the James Murrays, while Mrs. Murphy is in the hospital where she underwent surgery about a week ago.

She is expected to be discharged in the near future. The Murphys now live in Brattleboro, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lockwood called her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Harris, last week from Virginia where they were visiting his parents before leaving for Indiana where he will attend college.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert were in Mechanic Falls on Wednesday of last week to attend a postmaster's meeting.

Keith Goodwin and friends of Rumford visited his aunt Lena Westfield, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Herrick Jr. and family of Mechanic Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herrick and family Saturday night.

Miss Diana Walker who is spending the mid-year recess from Farmington State College at her home here, is doing substitute teaching at the Bethel Middle School in Bethel this week.

Robert Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gilbert will leave Feb. 12 for Ft. Bragg, N. C. where he will receive eight weeks of basic training in the National Guard. He will then be sent to Ft. Belvoir, Va. where he will attend a school for eight weeks.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 110 met for January meeting on the 22nd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rich and Walker. A 6:30 supper was served. During business meeting it was voted to send Lecturer Arthur Gillett to Lecturer's conference. Voted to contact two other granges to join to a three town meeting. Voted to hold a food sale at Richard Walker's on Feb. 15, time 12:00 noon.

Arthur Gilbert reported he had contacted an insurance agent and in answer will be increased on the hall as voted at the December meeting. A silent auction to be held at the February meeting. Each member is to bring two articles for auction. A thank you and a note from Mrs. Ruth Grover in appreciation for the Christmas gift from the grange. Marion and Clarence Kimball reported to be recovering from the flu. Brother Kimball's hand, which was injured to August, still very bad, and not able to work. Lecturer Arthur Gilbert presented the following program: Discussion on schools and colleges of today. Eugene Russell has been appointed as Deputy. Next meeting will be held Feb. 26 at Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Harris' Supper at 6:30.

Mrs. Joseph Mathers formerly a resident of West Bethel died last week at her home in Greenwood, Maine, at the age of 85. Mr. and Mrs. Mathers had one home here in Clyde Hill in the early 1920's and left to make their home in Maine sometime. Mr. Mathers died several years ago.

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Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres.

Mrs. Armand Michaud, chairman for the Heart Drive in Andover has announced the following solicitors:

Mrs. Oscar Dolloff, Mrs. William Gill, Mrs. Colby Roberts, Mrs. Donald Wardwell, Mrs. K. William Nappula, Mrs. Ira Gammon Jr., Mrs. Waldo Peaslee, Mrs. Harold Falkenhain, Mrs. Arthur Whitten Sr., Mrs. Theodore Gonya, Mrs. Lester Farrington, Mrs. James Sennett Jr., Mrs. Earl McIsaac, Mrs. Sidney Jones and Mrs. Robert B. Swain.

Six ladies will hold "Heart Coffee" sometime during the month of February. Having Coffee will be Mrs. Willard Howard, Mrs. Harold Frazier, Mrs. Howard Dunning, Mrs. Herman Saurer, Mrs. James Bodwell and Mrs. Freeman Farrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hutchins and Mrs. William Simmons, Jr., entered on Jan. 24 at a coffee for Mrs. Sylvanus Glover, at the Simmons home in East Andover. Attending were Mrs. Freeman Farrington and Betty, Mrs. James Sennett Jr. and Karen, Mrs. James Hines, Mrs. Wanda Wilson, Mrs. Lester White, Mrs. Stephen Nevel, Mrs. Ralph Sisson, Mrs. Robert B. Swain, and Miss Marilyn White. The gathering was a personal shower for Mrs. Glover.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dixon, former residents of Andover, now residing in Thailand, are the parents of a son born Nov. 19. The Dixons have named their new son, Michael. He has a brother, Robbie, 5; and a sister, Karen, 3. Mr. Dixon was transferred by COMSAT from Andover to this Asian Country.

Randall Libby, Portland, and Andover Granger, Lewiston, both students at Farmington State College were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Colby Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston have purchased the Lefflane house in East Andover. Mrs. Thurston is the former Mercedes Jodrey.

Roger Jones will begin his practice teaching in the 9th grade at the Rumford Junior High on Monday. He will teach English for a period of nine weeks. Jones is a senior at FSC and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Jones, East Andover.

On Saturday, Jan. 31, at 2:00 p. m. at the Christian Education Building Mrs. Norman Dock of Bethel will be the guest speaker at a meeting of the 4th group. She will show slides and have a question and answer period on "Hawaii". Mrs. Dock has published a book. All members of the Junior and Senior 4th Groups, and their parents, are cordially invited to attend. Plans are now to have a series of lectures on various subjects of interest to the members. Dates to be announced. Mrs. Robert (Graham) Hutchins is the leader for both groups.

The February Flower Committee for the Congregational Church will be Mrs. Howard Marston, Mrs. Archer Poor Jr. and Mrs. Howard Dunning.

Ralph Simons, who has been a patient at the Community Hospital, has returned to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parrott and family, Harrington, N. I., were in town last week called here by the death of Ezra Webster. Visiting hours

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were held at Meader's and Sons on Saturday afternoon. Services were private.

Nomination papers have been taken out for part of the town offices. Clerk Harvey McGuire; Fire Chief, Donald French; Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor, Harold Falkenhain; SAD Director, Harold Frazier; Treasurer and Tax Collector, Katherine Snyder and Arthur (Joe) Myhrall. There are no candidates, as yet, for Road Commissioner. Papers do not have to be filed until Feb. 14.

Corrected address: Pvt. Robert D. Sylvester 2584325, PLT 297 Co. 2nd RTBNTH, Parris Island, South Carolina, 29905.

Gerald Porter was a visitor in town over the week end. He lives in Holliston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Morton are the parents of a daughter born at the Community Hospital on Jan. 26. Mrs. Morton is the former Virginia

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Congregational Church News: The Senior Youth Group will sponsor a pot luck supper and an entertainment on Feb. 7 at 6:00 p. m. at the C. Z. B. This is open to the public. Proceeds will be given to the March of Dimes. Rev. Charles Wellman would like to have all adults that are interested in an adult discussion group to contact him. Holy Communion will be held at the church on Feb. 1. Groeters for February will be Mrs. Archer Poor Jr. and Mrs. Howard Marston. Mr. and Mrs. Archer Poor will give the bulletins for February. A lovely bouquet of poms, given in memory of Ezra Webster, was in the church for the morning worship service.

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BRYANT POND

— Kathleen McAllister, Cor. —

The Woodstock Extension Service met last Wednesday at the Town Hall dining room with twelve members and one guest. They enjoyed a noon meal on recipes made by adding soups in charge of Mrs. Annie Crockett.

Mrs. Margaret Scotte reported on the Simplicity Wardrobe revue that she and Mrs. Gertrude Sprague attended at South Paris.

The next meeting will be Party Favors in charge of Mrs. Kathleen McAllister at the home of Mrs. Harriett Farrington.

Members present were Mrs. Annie Crockett, Mrs. Miriam McAllister, Mrs. Kathleen McAllister, Mrs. Jola Bradley, Mrs. Joanne Henley, Mrs. Irene Mills, Mrs. Cleo Billings, Mrs. Nellie Bowker, Mrs. Louisa Noyes, Mrs. Margaret Scotte, Mrs. Helen Vittum and Mrs. Gertrude Sprague and daughter.

Jefferson Chapter No. 89 OES will meet Friday, Feb. 13, for a stated meeting. The Rainbow Girls of Rumford Assembly No. 39 will do the Father's Degree. Refreshments after the meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Juanita Allen, Mrs. Esther Farnum and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gammon Jr.

Members of Jefferson Chapter please remember the Lloyd party, benefit of Jefferson Chapter to be held at the home of Mrs. Russell McAllister, February 4 (Wednesday) at 7:30. Bring your friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway and Debra Estes visited Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Jordan at Cumberland Center.

Franklin Grange will meet Feb. 2. Members bring something for silent auction and Tasting Party.

Pomona Grange will meet Feb. 3 at Franklin Grange. It will be preceded by a 6:30 supper.

Go-ahead P. T. A. met Tuesday evening at the Woodstock Gym with

WEST GREENWOOD

— Mrs. P. W. Croteau, Corres. —

B. L. Harrington returned home from the Norway hospital Wednesday.

Arthur McDermott of Westbrook called at J. E. A. Gilbert's Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. A. Gilbert visited his mother, Mrs. Delia Gilbert, at Gordon's nursing home, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Alberta Croteau called at Paul Croteau's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson called at Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Mills at Bryant Pond, Sunday.

Stanley Wilson and two daughters of Locke Mills were recent callers at his parents, the Alden Wilsons.

An attendance of 75. It was voted to give ice cream for the Valentine Parties in each room. Mrs. Elaine Bean read a short history on Founders' Day. The attendance bonus was awarded to Mrs. Andrews Grade 3. PTA presented a cot to the Locke Mills School. President Mrs. Martha Farrington introduced Detective Gene Bickford from the Maine Bureau of Criminal Investigation who spoke on marijuana and abuse of drugs. A drug kit was on display showing types of drugs and marijuana in its natural form. A film titled marijuana was shown and a question and answer period followed. Refreshments were furnished by Grade 5 Mothers and served by Mrs. Patty Whitman and Mrs. Gertrude Sprague.

Pfc. Dave Howe son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howe is stationed in AnKhe, Viet Nam in Radar. His address is: Pfc. Dave A. Howe 007-46-2321, IHB 8th TAB 26 ARTY, 54th Inf. Det., APO San Francisco, Cal. 96294.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Otero are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, Jan. 25. He has been named Ethan Marcus.

were in Norway Saturday afternoon. Dora Ford and Charlotte Cole called on Mrs. Edith Littlefield.

John Mills and Donald Mills and wife Marilyn of Norway, spent Sunday in Augusta visiting with Mrs. John Mills (Lorraine). She is making good progress and is very pleased to receive so much mail.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Farwell drove to Bath, this week end, to visit the Malcolm Farwell's. On the way home, they called on their daughter and family, the Roland Morins, of South Paris.

Mrs. Bertha Flanders visited with Mrs. Velma Packard and Mrs. Beatrice Back at the Norway Hospital, Friday evening.

Tommy Swan is home from the U. of M. on his mid-year vacation. Lena and Ralph Estes called on Miss Bertha Kimball last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doyle and family of Lewiston spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Marion Tibbels.

Miss Orissa Walcott of Bryant Pond was a Sunday visitor at the Lester Cole's.

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NEWRY

— Miss Amy E. Hanscom, Cor. —

The School District Directors for S. A. D. 44 are considering a budget which is \$122,000 less than the budget presented last week, but which is still 24.7% over last year's budget. Previously \$30,000 had been slashed from the Administrators and Department Heads original request. It is expected that some of the cuts may be restored.

At a meeting at the Telstar Regional High School Monday evening the Directors were presented a budget of \$1,569,548. With estimated receipts of \$739,331, this leaves \$830,217 to be raised by the five member towns, as follows: Andover, \$268,741, up 53,261 from last year; Bethel, \$303,528, up 60,156; Greenwood, \$113,823, up 22,559; Newry, \$35,031, up \$7,141; Woodstock, \$108,084, up \$21,423.

Under the 1969 valuation, Newry's share of the school budget will mean a 96 mill tax rate for schools alone. The 1969 total tax rate was 99 mills, with an assessment ratio of 30%. A 1970 tax rate of 117 mills is indicated if the budgets are approved. The school budget, as it stands now, represents a 90% increase since 1967. The budget for all other accounts for this same period shows a 2% increase.

The budget will be considered further by the Directors, then presented to the voters at the annual budget meeting in February. Unless further cuts can be made Newry's tax rate for schools alone for 1970, will nearly equal, or may exceed the total tax rate for 1969.

Miss Debra Dunham, Greenwood, was a week end guest of Heidi Bachelier. Bradley Wight spent the week end with Anron Bachelier.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bachelier attended the funeral of R. Enoch Foster at South Paris Thursday.

ETCS Donald Hayner, Cutler, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Tripp.

Miss Sandra Duran, Dixfield, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Duran.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Baker and Jessica, Hanover, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Tripp Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burnham, Hanover, called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Wight Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett called Friday afternoon.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Frederick Bailey, Minister
Lay Leader, Richard Blake, Jr.
Sunday School Superintendent,
Mrs. Blake MacKay
Organist, Mrs. Richard Littlefield
Sunday:
9:15 A. M. Sunday School, nursery through eighth grade.
10:30 A. M. Nursery and Junior Church meets in the annex.
12:30 A. M. Morning Worship Service.
6:30 P. M. MYF at the personage.
Tuesday at 7 p. m. Choir Practice.
Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at the personage Group dynamics meeting concerned with how to have a happy life.
Thursday at 1:30 p. m. Afternoon Circle of WSCS meets at Faith Brown's with Mrs. Robert Gordon as co-hostess. The program will be presented by Mrs. Richard Stevens.
Saturday, 3-4 p. m. Registration for church membership class at the personage. We'll have refreshments and fellowship. If anyone wishes to register but can not attend this registration call the pastor not later than Saturday afternoon.

West Parish Congregational Church

United Church of Christ
Rev. Thomas L. Cason, Pastor
Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Worship Service.
10:00 a. m. Church School—Nursery through sixth grade.
7:00 p. m. Senior Youth Fellowship.
Thursday:
7:00 p. m. GONOCs, seventh and eighth grades.
7:00 p. m. Senior Choir.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene

Rev. Richard Parker, Minister
A friendly people who believe that Christ is the answer for you and your family.

Friday: Young People to attend special services at Norway Church of the Nazarene, 7:00 p. m.

Sunday:
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service, 11:00 a. m.
Young Peoples, 6:15 p. m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Teen and Adult Bible Study, Parsonage.
8:30 p. m. Board Meeting.
Saturday, Feb. 7: 1:00 p. m. Bowling for Young People.

Catholic Services

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at 8 a. m. Sundays at Our Lady of the Snows Church on Route 26.

Women's Guild meets third Tuesday of each month, 8 p. m., at the Church.
Episcopal Chapel of Christ the King
Holy Communion, 11 a. m.
Community Room, Casco Bank, Main and High Sts., Bethel.
All are welcome.

The Village Church

Rev. George C. Abbott, Tel. 824-2014
At the Old Fellows Hall, corner Main and Chapman Streets.
Sunday:
11 a. m. Worship Service.
West Bethel Union Church
Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Church Services at 11:00 a. m.
Y. W. C. A. S. First Monday of each month at 8:00 p. m.
Ladies Chapel Aid Society: Second Wednesday of each month at 8:00 p. m.

Lakes Mills Union Church

Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor
Church services, 9:30 a. m.
Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 8:30 p. m.
Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Lionel Hanson, Pastor
9:15 Sunday School.
10:30 Morning Worship Service.
6:30 Young Peoples' Meeting.
7:30 Evening Service.

Bryant Pond Universalist Church

Rev. Sheldon Christensen, Pastor
Miss Susan Hathaway, Organist
Mrs. Wendell Twichell, Supr.
at Sunday School
Chimes Played, 8 a. m.
Worship Service, 9 a. m.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Adult Discussion Hour, 10 a. m.

Christian Science

"Love" is the subject of the Lesson Service to be read in Christian Science churches this Sunday. The golden rule is welcome to attend services which are held at 11 a. m. at First Church of Christ, Science, Main and Tenth Streets, Bethel, R. I.

A Bible passage in the Lesson Service is from Romans: "For I am persuaded that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord."

Use of the columns from "Science and Health" with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, states: "Human beings are created to make their own happiness or unhappiness, and to be in all things obedient to the Christian Science. Our only need is to know God and reduce to practice."

NEWS OF THE BETHEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Three new activities are beginning at the Methodist Church this week.

This Sunday from 10:30 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. Junior Church will be starting for children 5-10 years of age. The aim is to provide a worship service for children of this age group which includes the aspects of adult worship but which is presented on their level of understanding. It is designed to give the children the opportunity to participate in a worship service which is meaningful to them.

Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at the personage, instead of Thursday, as was previously announced, there will be a series of open and honest group discussions which will lead to a happier life through Christ.

Saturday from 3 to 4 p. m. at the personage there will be registration for the church membership class which will be meeting at a time convenient for all who register. This will also be a time of refreshment and fellowship. Anyone who wishes to register but who cannot attend at that time should call Rev. Bailey before Saturday afternoon.

the real man's divine Principle, Love."

The Christian Science Radio Series "The Bible Speaks to You," is broadcast each Sunday over Station WMOU, Berlin, N. H., at 8:15 a. m. The theme on Feb. 1 will be "What Are Our Real Qualifications?"

A Christian Science Reading Room is now open in the business district in Berlin, N. H., at 134 Main St., from one to four every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. The public is warmly invited to attend.

Rumford Point Congregational Church

Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Kenneth Murray
Supt. of Sunday School

Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:45 a. m. Church School.

First Congregational Church

U. C. of C.
Andover

Rev. O. Charles Wellman
Mrs. Mary Knox, Organist
Mrs. Doris French, Choir Director
Mrs. John Richardson,
Supt. of Church School

Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Church School.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
6:00 p. m. Junior Youth Group.
6:30 p. m. Senior Youth Group.

Wednesday:
7:00 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.

East Andover

Calvary Congregational Church
Rev. Nathaniel Pearson, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:10 a. m.
Worship Service, 10:15-11:15 a. m.
Wednesdays, 6:30 p. m. choir at the home of Earl Meisner.

Thursdays: Prayer meetings at different homes at 7:30 p. m.
Sundays: Youth Group (7, 8 and 9) at Rev. Pearson's at 8:25 p. m.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church

Pastor: David I. Shaw

Sabbath School: 10 a. m.
Church Service: 11:30.
Prayer meeting: Wednesday evening, 7:30.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Oxford Branch—Meeting Hall is in Welchville on Route 121.

Sunday:
Priesthood, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Sacrament Meeting, 6:00 p. m.
Tuesday:
Primary (2-12 year olds), 6:15 p. m.
MIA (12-18 year olds), 6:15 p. m.
Wednesday:
Relief Society (Women's Organization), 9:30 a. m.

Faith Bible Church

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., at the home of Sewall Staples.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m., at the Church in Milton.

Evening Service, 7:00 p. m., at the Church in Milton.
Prayer meeting: Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Edith Poland, Milton Plantation.

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TELSTAR TRAILS IN ALPINE MEET WITH LIVERMORE FALLS

Livermore Falls boys' and girls' ski teams swept an Alpine meet from Telstar Wednesday at Mt. Abram where conditions were ideal for both events. The Andies triumphed 190.04 to 190.8 in the boys' meet and took the girls' meet by a 190.9 to 173.3 total.

ALL ALIENS URGED TO FILE REPORT FORMS BY JANUARY 31

A. A. Poulin, Jr., District Director of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, urges all aliens in Maine who have not yet filled out alien address report forms to do so before Jan. 31 at the nearest Immigration and Naturalization Service office or local Post Office.

The Immigration official pointed out that the law requires all non-citizens, except persons in diplomatic status and foreign representatives to certain organizations, such as the United Nations, to report their addresses to the Government each January.

Mr. Poulin added: "The parent or legal guardian of an alien child under 14 years of age must fill out the address report form for such a child in order to comply with the law."

He declared: "We have tried to make it as convenient as possible for non-citizens to meet the address report requirements; and in view of serious penalties for willful violation all persons subject to the address report law are urged to fulfill this obligation before the end of January."

Mr. Poulin advised: "It is easy for an alien to meet this requirement. He just goes to the nearest Immigration and Naturalization Service office or Post Office, fills out the address report form, and returns it to the clerk. Any non-citizen who is ill may send a friend or relative to obtain the card for him, and return it to the clerk after it has been completed by the alien."

FOSTER HOMES BEING SOUGHT IN OXFORD COUNTY AREA

The Division of Child and Family Services has a need for foster homes in the Oxford County area, to provide foster care for pre-teen and teenage children, and for children with physical and mental handicaps.

The children need foster parents who are mature persons; they must be in good physical and mental health and have sufficient affection, time and living space to care for a child; able to provide varied experiences and willing to accept the relationship of the child with his own parents and they need to be able to cooperate with the Division of Child and Family Services which is the child's legal guardian.

The Division has financial responsibility for children in its care. The basic board rate is \$65 a month. In addition the Division provides medical and dental costs and a clothing allowance for each child.

Those who are interested in giving a child a wholesome, secure, experience in family living and knowing more about becoming a foster parent contact the Lewiston District Office of the Department of Health and Welfare at 179 Lisbon Street, Lewiston, or telephone Lewiston 723-8576.

GIRL SCOUT LEADERS HOLD MEETING AT MEXICO

Telstar Association of Girl Scout leaders held a meeting for leaders of all levels at Mexico Town Hall, Tuesday evening. On the agenda was the Girl Scout cookie sale. There was a discussion of camp folders and events of interest to all leaders. Towns in Telstar Association are Rumford, Mexico, Bethel, Hanover, Andover, West Peru, and Dixfield.

The Blue Cross and Blue Shield

story has been told. Just to sight an example of discrepancy, the clock on the wall of the classroom shown as being empty, shows that the time was 11:40, which my children inform me is lunch period. It would appear to the reader that someone had written the article out of bitterness. The writer of this article obviously has no interest in the betterment of education, or they would have pointed out the many positive aspects of our new modern High School.

Thank you,
Stanley Davis

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SING-OUT BOSTON will perform at Telstar Regional High School Auditorium on Saturday, Feb. 14.

This cast, one of the 300 local casts of "Up with People" in the United States, has performed from New Bedford, Mass., to Center Ossipee, N. H., and various other places throughout the greater Boston area. There are also other casts in countries such as Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Germany, China, and Africa. These casts along with the local casts in the U. S. spring from four International Casts of 170 people each. They tour the country spreading the idea of "Up With People" so that they may start these casts to carry on the National Cast's work on the local level.

Sing-Out is involvement. It is doing something for one's country and/or community not just sitting back and letting the world pass by. Unselfishness and understanding are the keys to this movement, as Sing-Outs around the world launch the world into a new dimension.

William R. Keoske of Bethel the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keoske received the B. S. degree in Business Administration at mid-year graduation exercises at Husson College in Bangor, January 24. He has a position at Newton and Tebbetts Inc. of West Bethel.

BLUE CROSS - BLUE SHIELD

DECLARES OPEN ENROLLMENT

A statewide Open Enrollment for Maine Blue Cross and Blue Shield Companion Plan to Medicare has been set for Feb. 1 - 15. It has been announced by Richard F. Nelson, president of Associated Hospital Service of Maine.

He also announced that during the same period there will be an Open Enrollment for Extended Coverage, underwritten by Blue Alliance Insurance Company for all Maine residents as a supplement to their Blue Cross and Blue Shield Plan.

The special Open Enrollment for "Blue Cross and Blue Shield 65" Companion Plan is being held in conjunction with an open period declared by the Social Security Administration to allow persons who have not previously done so to sign up for Parts A and B of the Medicare Program. Their announcement allows persons 65 and over to enroll during January, February and March with the coverage to become effective July 1 of this year. In most cases the effective dates of the Blue Cross and Blue Shield and Extended Coverage will be earlier for those persons taking advantage of this enrollment.

The Blue Cross and Blue Shield

Companion Plan has more than 53,000 now enrolled. The program is tailored to fill many of the gaps and co-insurance features not covered by Medicare and has been adjusted to pick up the additional co-insurance obligations that went into effect January 1 at no increase in cost. It strengthens existing contracts for those over 65 as well as the basic Blue Cross and Blue Shield contracts for those who are less than 65 years old.

Nelson said that although this is a special enrollment for the two Plans, others eligible can join the regular Plans of Blue Cross and Blue Shield at any time.

A statewide newspaper campaign will make certain that all Maine residents are given an opportunity to join.

30 SECONDS WITH THE NAZARENE

Almighty God, as I sit here tonight surrounded by newspapers, and watching TV, it just came to me that I had lied to Thee and to myself. I said I was too TIRED to go to prayer meeting. That was not true. I would have gone to a ball game, the PTA or any place I wanted to go. Being "too tired" seemed to cover up my indifference. God, forgive me, for I have lied to Thee and to myself. I am not too TIRED. . . . I am indifferent. Warm my cold heart, O God, for that is the real reason why I stayed at home.

"The Nazarene Preacher" Magazine, Feb. 10:22 & 25a. "Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience, and our bodies washed with pure water. "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together."

HEALTH AND WELFARE DEPT. CLARIFIES MEDICAID PRESCRIPTION DRUG PROGRAM

The statewide Medical Advisory Committee to the Bureau of Medical Care, Maine Department of Health and Welfare, has established criteria clarifying the medicaid prescription drug program.

Some problems have arisen in the interpretation of regulations governing the dispensing of drugs under the state-sponsored program which went into effect on Jan. 1.

The medical advisers, with Dr. Carl Richards of Sanford as chairman, took several questions under consideration at their monthly meeting in January and assisted in clarifying some of the situations. One of the first was to determine what constitutes a remote area where the pharmacy dispensing of signed prescriptions is not feasible. It was decided that the Bureau could decide what extenuating circumstances caused the program to interfere with the physicians usual custom of practice and could give permission for the physician to dispense medications within his office practice if no local pharmacy is participating in the program, or if distances in excess of five miles were involved.

It was pointed out that a number of physicians customarily give medications for which they do not charge above the office call. For those who stock medications for re-sale to patients, they may not bill the state.

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO DISCUSS BOTTLES AT FEB. 5 MEETING

Bottle collecting is the subject of the meeting of the Bethel Historical Society to be held on Thursday, Feb. 5, at 7:30 p. m. at the Casco Community Room. In charge of the program are Bernice Noyes and Lawrence Winslow. Anyone interested is welcome to attend and bring bottles for discussion.

for more than 5% of actual cost of such medications, and must maintain records of medications sold for audit purposes.

The medical advisers also clarified the regulations that state-reimbursed prescriptions must be written by the physician. The regulation calls for SIGNING before the pharmacy can submit the prescription invoices for state payment. Prescriptions may still be telephoned in and dispensed providing the prescription is signed by the doctor following dispensing. This means that a doctor could let authorized prescriptions be held by the pharmacy and signed accumulatively, or mailed to him for signature.

Another point which was not clear in the initial announcement is the client signature. The regulation states "or agent" which allows for drugs to be picked up by relatives, friends, neighbors, nurses, etc., and signed in the patient's behalf. The signature is principally to assure that the medication goes to the person for whom it is prescribed.

The physician advisers were somewhat critical of the Department of Health and Welfare for what they called a "communications deficit" in setting up the new program. They pointed out that doctor's secretaries do a large amount of this administrative work and the program explanation should be given in a manner which can be interpreted by secretaries in doctor's offices, or clerks in pharmacies.

The Bureau of Medical Care went on record as hastening to use a variety of communications means to help clarify the program, and will welcome questions and suggestions from all concerned.

The new program is in a transitional stage especially in being integrated with the computer program which will go into an "omnibus case information system."

CONSUMER PRICES ANOTHER

The Consumer Price Index for December 1969 was 100.0, the U. S. Bureau of Economic Analysis announced.

About half of the increase in prices for higher priced items was due to the increase in the price of the remainder of the items. The December index rose 0.1 per cent from the November index, the largest rise for a period since November 1968.

For major consumer items, the index rose 0.1 per cent from the November index, the largest rise for a period since November 1968.

Summary of Selected Consumer Prices
Per cent change from previous month

Consumer Prices
All items
Commodities
Food
Apparel and accessories
Nondurable goods and services
Durable goods and services

Household services
Less rent
Transportation services
Medical care services
Other services

Food prices, which have risen more than 10 per cent since the beginning of the year, were accounted for much of the increase in food prices, up slightly, but because of continued price increases of pork products and milk.

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
RISES ANOTHER 0.6% IN DEC.

The Consumer Price Index rose 0.6 per cent in December, to 131.3 (1957-58=100), the U. S. Labor Department's Bureau of Labor Statistics has announced.

About half of the increase was due to higher prices for foods, particularly eggs and fresh vegetables. Most of the remainder of the rise was accounted for by increases for services. The December rise put the all items index 6.1 per cent above a year ago, the largest rise for any twelve-month period since November 1951.

For major components of the Consumer Price Index, per cent changes at annual rates over the last three months and for the past year are shown below:

Summary of Recent Price Changes
Per cent change at annual rate
December 1969 from:
Sept. 1969 - Dec. 1969

Consumer Price Index	Sept. 1969 - Dec. 1969
All items	6.0 6.1
Commodities	6.4 5.5
Food	7.6 7.2
Apparel commodities	6.8 5.3
Nondurables less food and apparel	2.8 4.0
Durables	7.2 4.5
Services	6.4 7.4
Rent	4.4 3.7
Household services less rent	7.6 9.5
Transportation services	12.4 8.5
Medical care services	1.2 7.1
Other services	4.8 4.9

Food prices, climbed 7.6 per cent, much more than is usual for December. Prices of eggs and most fresh vegetables were up substantially and accounted for the bulk of the increase for food. Meat prices were up slightly, but contrasensually, because of continued strength in the prices of pork products. Sizeable price increases occurred for bread and milk.

Changes for consumer services advanced 0.7 percent, following two months of appreciably smaller rises.

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Transportation services prices showed the most pronounced acceleration; they rose nearly 2 percent on the strength of higher auto insurance rates and airplane and taxicab fares. The rise in charges for medical care services picked up following two months of relative weakness and the costs of services associated with homeownership continued their upward trend.

Consumer durable goods advanced contrasensually in December. Prices of used cars were down, but price increases for other durable goods more than offset the declines.

Prices of nondurable commodities other than food were also relatively strong for December; they advanced 0.2 percent instead of edging down as they usually do. Apparel commodities failed to show their full seasonal price drop. Prices in creases for other nondurable goods were widespread, with the most notable advances being recorded for gasoline, cigarettes, newspapers, magazines, and alcoholic beverages away from home.

Cost-of-Living Adjustments

Approximately 134,000 workers will receive cost-of-living wage increases, based on the Consumer Price Index for December. About 85,000 workers will receive pay increases based on the rise in the national index since December 1968, including 63,000 workers in the glass container industry (1 per cent); 14,000 airline employees (7 cents an hour); and 5,000 aerospace workers (2 1/2 per cent). An additional 24,000 workers will receive hourly pay increases of from 3 to 5 cents based on the rise in the national index from September to December including 14,000 employees of the Greyhound Corporation and 9,000 workers in the aerospace industry. About 1,500 employees of the Milwaukee and Suburban Transport Corporation will get a 2-cent hourly increase, based on the December rise in the national CPI.

Some 7,100 metal workers and machinists in the San Francisco area will get 7-cent hourly pay increases, based on the rise in the index for that area since June. About 6,000 bakery workers in New York City will get a 2 per cent pay raise based on the New York index and 1,600 transit employees in Baltimore will get an hourly increase of 5 cents based on the rise in the Baltimore CPI since June.

Approximately 12,000 other workers whose escalation reviews were tied to the December CPI will not receive pay adjustments because they have already received the maximums stipulated in their contracts.

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Book-wanted to buy: "The Indians of the Androscoggin Valley" by G. M. Starbuck, or any book about the Indians that inhabited this area. Write Box 5 in care of this paper.

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AMBULANCE ATTENDANTS
COURSE COMPLETED

Last week's classes for ambulance attendants were held at the Bethel fire station. This course has been held twice a week for the convenience of those participating and the attendance from the start has been very encouraging. In addition to the Medical Self Help Course presented by Civil Defense (Eldon Greenleaf, John Greenleaf, Paul Bodwell and "Bud" Howe served as instructors). Last week's meetings dealt principally with the ambulance

equipment. John Greenleaf, Bethel CD Director, wishes to publicly thank Mrs. Norris Brown for her assistance during the lessons on child birth.

The pictures were taken at the fire station last week. Above: Ricky Seames, Allen Messer and Rupert Grover, Jr., administer first aid. The patient is Rev. Richard Parker. Below: Eldon Greenleaf, left, and Phil Taylor, right, having strapped Don Brown securely to a "spine" board are about to lift him in a sitting position and place him in the ambulance.

SNOW TWISTERS OUTING
A SUCCESS

Sunday, January 25, a gathering of some 30 snowmobiles congregated in Doel's field on Route 26, Bethel. A good two hour trip of about fifteen miles took the enthusiasts through some beautiful scenery along the country side. Several "unscheduled activities" were enjoyed by all participants.

A reminder that the "Sno-Packer's Club of Waterford invites every one to their trail ride and activities Sunday, Feb. 1, at "The Shirley Field" on Route 5 toward Lovell.

CUB SCOUTS

Den 3 had a meeting at Mrs. Kenyon's house on Tuesday. We finished our castle and our horse. Rucky Angevine came to our meeting. Pack Meeting is Friday, Jan. 30, at the Methodist Church at 7:30.

A. D. Teddy Reed

Den 2 met Wednesday, Jan. 23. We finished our Castle and played barnyard bedlam and eskimo jumping race. A. D. Teddy Gallant.

Den 5 met Tuesday at Mrs. Angevine's home. Mrs. Stone played "Bent Fly", practiced our skat for the pack meeting. Finished our shields and helmets. Closed with living Circle Dener, Andy Smith; Assistant Dener, Albert Gaudreau.

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GOULD VICTORIOUS OVER
VINALHAVEN 82-59

Gould Academy's basketball team made it seven straight over SPA in a basketball competition Saturday night with an 82-59 romp over Vinalhaven on the loser's court as Dan Vogt set the pace with a 30-point performance.

Gould (82)	9	1	9
Jervis	4	1	9
Schmohl	5	6	16
Davis	5	4	14
Vogt	12	6	30
Milligan	4	1	9
Totals	32	18	82
Vinalhaven (59)	9	1	9
Beckman	5	2	12
I. Olson	3	2	8
Hutchinson	2	2	6
Phillips	2	2	6
Totals	23	13	59
Arnes	2	4	8
Gould	24	38	59
Vinalhaven	17	34	42
Flynn and Shaw	4-8's		
Vinalhaven 29, Gould 23 (Girls).			

GOULD SKIING

Kents Hill School led the relays in a cross-country meet conducted on the Bethel Inn course Sunday. Allen of the Kents Hill combination turned in the fastest individual leg. Bart Bailey of Gould was the top jumper in added competitions held at Swan's Corner.

A total of 24 school relay teams competed, the field including representatives from Mt. Blue, Telstar, Fryeburg, Gould, Kents Hill, Hebron Academy, Mexico and Rumford.

Kennedy, N. H., will be at Gould for dual competitions Friday and Saturday.

The Sunday leaders:

Cross Country relay: Kents Hill 4:07 (John Allen, Allen, J. Clark); Rumford A 57:06 (Lutick, Bartlett, DeFiore); Gould A 58:48 (Lowell, Winter, Bailey); Mexico A 58:51 (Gallant, Barrett, Arsenault); Fryeburg A 61:52 (Salmon, Thibodeau, Rodson).

Individual leading times: Allen

TELSTAR GAINS SECOND HOOP
WIN-DEFEAT LIVERMORE 68-60

Telstar Regional High School took its second decision of the season from Livermore Falls in a Mountain Valley Conference home court basketball game Tuesday 68-60 with a second half spurt. Dave Keniston led the winners with 24 points and 28 rebounds as they made up a five-point halftime deficit with a 13-7 drive in the third quarter.

Down the stretch it was 23-16 favoring Telstar which had principle difficulties trying to control Mike Lasko of the visitors. Lasko put in 23 points.

Telstar Hoopsters are slated to travel to Messalonskee on Friday evening, and to Winthrop next Tuesday.

Livermore Falls (60)	9	1	9
J. Gromes	1	3	5
Combs	1	0	2
Lasko	11	1	23
Newell	5	0	10
Castonguay	5	3	13
Groomes	0	0	0
Hanson	1	0	2
Anderson	2	1	5
Lake	0	0	0
Mercier	0	0	0
Hunt	0	0	0
Lovewell	0	0	0
Totals	26	8	60

Telstar (68)	9	1	9
Davis	5	0	10
Knox	7	1	15
Keniston	11	2	24
Deegan	4	2	10
Mills	1	3	5
Trinward	2	0	4
MacKillop	0	0	0
Melsner	0	0	0
Totals	30	8	68
Livermore Falls	16	37	44
Telstar	15	32	45
Dyke, Taglienti, Four 8's.			
Prelim: Livermore Falls 57, Telstar 43 (JV).			

(KH) 19:15; Clark (KH) 18:18; Howson (Fryeburg) 93.3; Lowell (Gould) 94.3; Winter (Gould) 92.4; Cole (Gould) 88.1.

Jumping: Bailey (Gould) 93.4 points; Hodson (F. A.) 93.3; Lowell (Gould) 94.3; Winter (Gould) 92.4; Cole (Gould) 88.1.

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TELSTAR R. H. S. NEWS

STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

The Telstar Student Council thought it would be a good idea if the members could make some suggestions to the school about the things they like to do and what we do in the paper.

Ed Deviel recently took on the job as Art Instructor. She has attended Columbia University and Parsons School of Design. Mrs. Deviel says "It's a real challenge."

New to the English Department is Jeff Clough who says, "I like it very much. We have a good school and a good system."

In the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Bangs, Mr. Howe is teaching music and Mrs. Trinward is working in the Business Department.

One of the most active clubs here is the Audio Visual Club. The Club plans to sponsor a film festival.



Mr. Howe

When set up any student who had free time could watch a film in living color. The A. V. Club has also sponsored two dances, a Junior High and a Senior High Dance.



Mr. Clough



Mrs. Trinward



Mrs. Deviel



Audio Visual Club - Front row, left to right: John Snyder, Danny Barker, Brooks Merlon, Donnie Sam Kames, Bruce Douglas, Bill Fawcett, and Keith Davis. Back row: Brooks, Bill Galloway, Terry Swan.

GUIDANCE

Reminder to college bound Juniors: Applications for the March SAT Test given at Gould Academy are to be in Princeton, N. J. by Feb. 4. After that date there is a penalty of \$3.00 for being late.

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SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

WEEK OF JAN. 26

Monday: Tuna casserole, juice, carrots, apple cake, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Tuesday: Choppy Joe on biscuit or rice, corn, fruit, bananas and butter, milk.

Wednesday: Corned beef hash, green beans, pizza, Jello, home made bread and butter, milk.

Thursday: Chicken in gravy on rice or biscuit, peas, fruit, home made bread and butter, milk.

Friday: Fish sticks, mashed potato, cabbage salad, brownies, bread and butter, milk.

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Edith Littlefield

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THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT AT TELSTAR

The School Health Team at Telstar is composed of the school physician and the school nurse who work closely with teachers, guidance personnel, administrators and public health personnel. The school physician recommends health policy, sets up immunization procedures, administers immunizations, performs physical examinations and makes recommendations regarding his findings. Besides the obvious task of obtaining health information and maintaining health records on all students, the school nurse arranges and assists with physical examinations, schedules and assists with immunizations and tuberculin testing, counsels students and faculty regarding health related problems, and assists parents to obtain specialized health services for their children. The nurse also fills out insurance forms. Students who hold school insurance policies and sustain an accident must obtain their insurance forms from the school nurse.

School Health Policies

One of the first responsibilities of the health department has been to recommend workable health policies. These have gone through the initial writing and are currently in the discussion stage. Before they can be finalized, school health policies must be acceptable to all principals, administrators and health workers. The board of directors, of course, gives final approval. School health policies must include emergency procedures, policies for exclusions due to health reasons, functions of the school physician and the school nurse, parental responsibility in emergency situations at school, policies for medical examination, immunization, hearing and vision testing, and establish procedures for reporting health defects. The philosophy of the School Health Program, as well as identification of cooperating health agencies, should also be included in the final health policy.

Physical Examinations

Physical examination procedures have been in a state of change since the opening of Telstar. Originally, it was felt that ALL students should have a yearly examination because of the Physical Education Program. The current school year has seen a modification of this practice; now

students in the seventh, ninth, and eleventh grades must have examinations. In addition, ALL athletes must have an examination prior to EACH sport in which they choose to participate. Further modifications can certainly be anticipated as each new year brings new problems, new thinking, and new solutions.

Immunizations

Telstar offers each student the opportunity of maintaining his immunity to polio, smallpox, tetanus, and diphtheria. Each student's health record is checked to determine what he needs for boosters each year. When boosters are due "Permission for Immunization" forms are sent home by the student to be signed by his parent and returned to the school. "Shots" are generally scheduled to be given during the month of January and February.

Recently the Maine Department of Health and Welfare issued new immunization recommendations. According to these recommendations, smallpox and diphtheria - tetanus boosters should be given every TEN years rather than every FIVE years. Our School Physician approved the new recommendations and has suggested that they be incorporated into the school health policies.

Hearing and vision tests are administered to each student each year by the school nurse. Students who fail their tests, or who have questionable results, are tested again at a later date. If the second test is failed, parents are notified of the results. It is wise to have problems relating to the eyes and ears investigated as soon as possible. The student's ability to learn can be affected by hearing and visual difficulties.

Medications

NO medications are given to students without the necessary permission. Aspirin is a medication. When a student must receive medicine during the school day, a note from his parent or guardian should be brought with the medication to the school nurse. Medicine bottles should be clearly marked with the student's name, the name of the medicine, the prescribing doctor, and the time of day that the medicine is to be given.

When a student becomes severely ill during the school day every attempt is made to notify his par-

ents. Occasionally, however, parents are not at home or have no telephone. When this happens the student is allowed to rest until the end of school in one of our two "cool rooms". Occasionally a student may not feel up to par but wants to attend school because of an important exam or the like; again, the cool room is available when needed.



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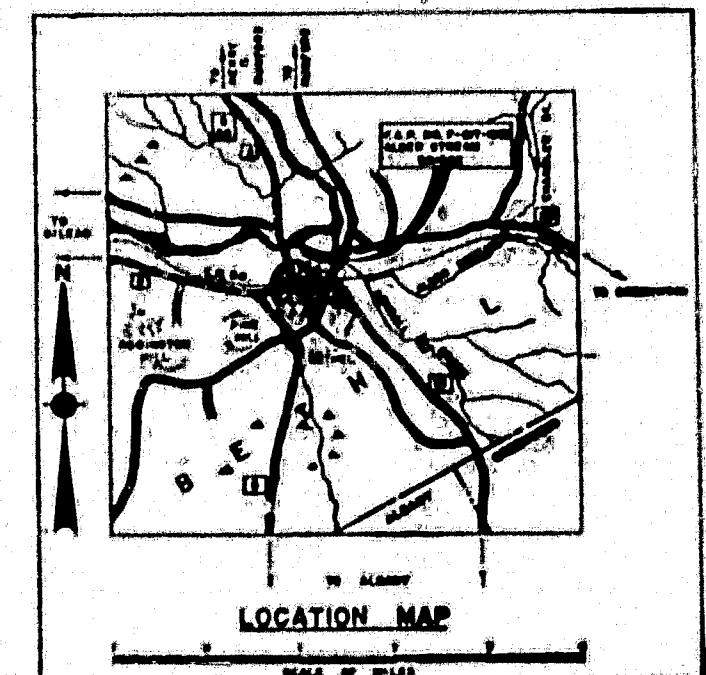
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The State Highway Commission is planning the reconstruction and/or relocation of Alder Stream Bridge and approaches on State Route 26 in the Town of Bethel, beginning about 0.4 mile east of the intersection of U. S. Route 2 and State Route 26 in Bethel Village and extending easterly a distance of 950 feet to near the junction of the East Bethel Road (State Aid Highway No. 9).

In accordance with U. S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, Bureau of Public Roads, Policy and Procedure Memorandum 20-2, dated January 14, 1969, Subject: "Public Hearings and Location Approval", the State Highway Commission hereby gives notice of opportunity for a public hearing regarding the proposed project.

Any persons desiring that a public hearing be held for the purpose of discussing the proposed project are invited to send a written request for such a hearing to the State Highway Commission, State Office Building, Augusta, Maine, if any such request is received by the Highway Commission on or before February 19, 1970, arrangements will be made for a public hearing to be held at a convenient location.

A representative of the Highway Commission will be available at the Town Office in Bethel Village on Tuesday, February 10, 1970 between the hours of 2:00 P. M. and 4:00 P. M. for the purpose of explaining the proposed project and answering questions for any interested persons. Tentative plans for the project will be left at the Town Office for public viewing and copying until February 19, 1970.

Property owners and occupants who may be affected by the proposed project will be contacted individually at a later date by a representative of the Highway Commission.

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SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Verrill and children and Mr. and Mrs. Steven Verrill and children of Concord, Mass., were at the Floyd Verrill place over the week end and enjoyed skiing.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fleet are rather lucky as they had the telephone installed Friday. Their number is 824-2412. This will save them a lot of time and steps.

Well, we have had a whole week with sun part of every day. But not too big a change in the temperature. Two mornings it was ten below but today it got up to thirty above. Must be the wind came across a breath of spring some place.

Dinner guests at the Yates Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Yates of West Paris and Mrs. Viva Whitman and Wynona.

Carroll Yates visited "Red" Noyes at Locke Mills, Sunday.

Russell Yates was home Thursday from his work in Lovell and went to Norway to see Dr. Dixon about his arm he hurt when he was thrown off a step ladder two weeks ago.

It seemed very nice to have a bit warmer weather this week end. Skiers were more than busy.

Jeffrey Yates left by plane Thursday morning for New Jersey, where he expects to be stationed for the balance of his time in the service.

ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Harlan Bumpus, Correspondent
Andy Inman leaves this week for Missouri where he will begin basic training in the National Guard for six months.

Sonny Davis and two college friends were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Rugg and family. Other callers there on the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ryan and Joy and Mrs. Karen Edwards, Julie and Gregory, of Hollis; and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Davis and family of Fryeburg.

Callers the past week of Mr. and Mrs. John Kingman were: Mrs. Barbara Inman, Terry and Nita; Mike and Alfred Hebert of Greenwood; Harlan Bumpus; Miss April Rugg; and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Grover and "Pixie".

The Misses Debra Corbett and Diane Read of South Paris spent the week end with Debra's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman and Andy were salt water smelt fishing on Saturday.

Harlan, Ruth, and Kenneth Bumpus were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Olive Spinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pope, Jimmy and Vicky, of Norway, and Miss June Bailey of Andover were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kingman; Carlton Rugg; and Ernest Luneau of Norway were recent callers at Harlan Bumpus'.

CARD OF THANKS

Once again, may we say "Thank you," to our relatives, neighbors, and friends, for your consideration and kindness during our hospitalization periods.

* Bernard and Raymond Harrington

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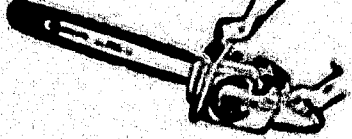
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Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres.
Mr. and Mrs. Chris Nowlin (nee Lorraine Davis) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, in Norway on Jan. 22, 1970. They named the seven pound plus baby, Daren Christie.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Clements and boys were in Belfast visiting Mr. Clements' mother, Mrs. Margaret Clements, and other relatives this week end.

Winn Buck has had the flu but is better at this writing.

Guysen Davis has the flu.

Many colds are in the neighborhood, also.

We are sorry to hear of the passing of Annie Morgan. She is the mother of Maurice Morgan, who lives nearby, and Betty M. Silver who lives in the Perkins Valley area. The funeral service was held Saturday afternoon at the Universalist Church in Bryant Pond at 3:30 with Rev. Joseph Perham officiating.

Mrs. Bessie Clifford called on Mrs. Jessie Andrews recently and they both went to Bryant Pond to visit Mrs. Lettie Morgan recently.

Mrs. Annie Ford went to Norway Saturday P. M. with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford, Locke Mills.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Everett Davis Saturday. He has been at the Stephens Memorial Hospital since he was found unconscious on the floor in his store at West Sumner. Everett was a member of Franklin Grange, No. 124.

Donors to Ledgeview Memorial Home in memory of Harlan M. Andrews: Sadie and Nancy D'Aiuto, Vernon Redding, Guy Heath, Edythe Robbins, Mary Slipp, Alice Varney, Louise Aris, Alma Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Stevens, Helen Bonney, Walter Bonney, Elsie Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kirschner, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Averill, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hadley, Ada Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Hilram Hazelton, Mrs. Angie Libby, Mrs. Blanche Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lothrop, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eastman, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bean.

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SOUTH BETHEL

Mrs. Nancy Palmer, Corres.
Mrs. Rose Rand is a patient at the Maine Medical Center, Portland. Cards would be appreciated.

Lester Swan and Elsie Hinkley were in Norway to see his sister who is a patient at the Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hart over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Francis Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Buckman, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hart and boys, Mrs. Ruby Coolidge and girls, Frank Hart.

Miss Betty Paine was an overnight guest of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts, West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sessions and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Palmer and family, Saturday evening.

Visitors of Fern and Jeannie Bachelder over the week end were Kathy Pike, Martha Hutchinson and Betty Paine.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bailey had a supperware party at her house Tuesday evening. The guests were Mrs. Winnie Hanson and Mrs. Hazel Strout, Mrs. Marilyn Mason, Lisa Bailey, from Bryant Pond; Mrs. Daisy Mason and Peter Mason, Mrs. Opal Tyler and daughter, East Bethel; Mrs. Doris Walker, Mrs. Anita Mason, Mrs. Rose Bachelder, Jeannie Bachelder, Fern Bachelder, Lori Bachelder, Betty Paine, Elaine Bailey, Bethel, and Mrs. Emory of Duckfield.

Mrs. Rose Bachelder and girls spent Saturday evening with her sister, Elizabeth Bailey.

Osman Palmer and Aida Gross attended the basketball game at Telstar Tuesday evening.

CUB SCOUTS

Den 4 met with Mrs. Saunders on Tuesday. Mark Bean was a guest. Health achievement awards were discussed and the pack meeting was discussed. Refreshments were enjoyed.

GREENWOOD CITY

Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres.
Like some rare jewel she was hidden away among the tall pines and leafless trees. She didn't wear the modern dress, but one studded with diamonds, quaint and old fashioned. She has worn the same winter upon winter artistically displayed, rich and peaceful wending her way beneath a sky never more blue, this my Sanborn River. Tightly sealed in her icy bonnet, she was somber and calm.

No dainty Queen-Ann's lace or Iris now but decorated with the tracks and trails of numerous and various animals. I wished as I followed to the rapids, that I could better read those little feet. All I knew were the mouse, the rabbit, the fox and the squirrel.

Some were made so recently that I hoped to see the printer. I kept my camera ready and watched. Nothing seemed to stir.

This was my first winter visit up the river. I noted the land marks and thought of them as compared to a journey with boat last summer or fall. Then the gentle voice, the friendly tone of the singing birds, while now silence except for the silver tinkle of the chick-a-dee and the rasping "yark-yark" of the nuthatch.

But not long did I dwell in the valley of remembrance for there was too much of the real to see. Samuel F. Pugh says in part: "In poverty a man must live. Though he be thought a millionaire, if he is never overwhelmed. In finding beauty anywhere." Just as I turned another bend I

MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corres.
Mrs. Lois McGibbon and son Ralph of Loviston visited her brother Leon Sunday.

Mrs. Marjorie Littlehale had the misfortune to break a rib lately. Maurice Parsons has started logging operations on the Wayne Angus place in Errol.

Stephen, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bennett was ill last week with the "flu" but is better.

The snowmobiles are getting around more lately.

Mrs. Iver Johnston is not very well this winter.

Mrs. Bertha West was called back to Milan Thursday by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Florence Balsor. Monday morning was the first one for some time here that was above zero temperature, it is usually about 20 below. About six inches of snow fell Sunday night, but in seven more days the winter will be half gone.

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EAST STONEHAM

Gladys Kilgore, Corres.
Mrs. Vesta Nelson and son, Bradley, were hostess to a birthday dinner, given to Jeannie Allen, Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. John Barker were also there. A pretty birthday cake was presented to Jeannie. She also received some nice presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson visited Mrs. Fanny Cummings and Mrs. Esther Farnum in Bryant Pond Sunday.

Donnie Stearns graduated in the mid-winter term Saturday from Hus-

in Connecticut on Friday to attend the funeral of their niece's husband, Bruce Johnson.

Mrs. Ernest Morris has returned from the Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes joined Mr. and Mrs. Ardell Hayes for dinner at Mechanic Falls on Sunday. Callers this week at Mr. and Mrs. Norman Millett's were Mrs. Barbara Wilson and family, Locke Mills and Mrs. Sandra Coffin and son West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Silver, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Millett were at the Silver's camp on Concord Pond on Sunday.

son's College in Bangor, with a B. S. degree. He will be home for awhile. Mrs. Walter Helo from Massachusetts was a visitor at the Millett home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wilson were hosts to a birthday dinner given to Mrs. Gertrude Yemma Wednesday night. She was presented with a lovely birthday cake, made by Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. Eugene Whitney and three children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Barker Sr. Wednesday. Mrs. Whitney makes her home in Harrison. Her husband is a teacher at Bridgton Academy.

Mrs. Ethel Files entered the hospital in Lewiston Thursday, where she will have a cataract removed from an eye. Her daughter, Mrs. Grant, will keep house for her while she is away.

Mrs. Albert Yemma, Mrs. Mary Merrill and Charles Davis went to North Conway shopping Wednesday.

Friends of Mrs. Mertie Emery are glad to hear that she is home again, and feeling much better.

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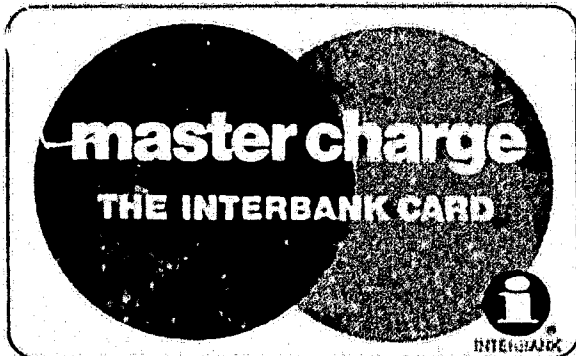
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MEXICO MAN TO SEEK DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Leo W. MacDonald of 16 Mexico Ave., Mexico, is announcing his candidacy for the office of County Commissioner in the County of Oxford in the June primary on the Democratic ticket.

Born in P. E. I. Canada, on August 27, 1924, he was educated in Rumford schools. He is married to the former Yvonne Martineau. They are the parents of three children. Timothy is in his second year at Bethel College in Bangor. Patricia attends Mexico Jr. High and is in the seventh grade. Thomas attends St. Theresa School and is in his fourth year.

The candidate is the son of Mrs. J. A. MacDonald and the late Joseph A. MacDonald of Rumford. His father was employed by the Maine State Liquor Commission.

During the second world war Mr. MacDonald served with the U. S. Navy. Later he spent eight years with the Naval Reserve as a Boat-skipper's Mate.

He is employed by the Oxford Paper Co. as a data sender in the stock room department. He has worked for Oxford Paper for 23 years.



Leo W. MacDonald

MRS. ANNIE E. MORGAN

Mrs. Annie E. Morgan died Thursday morning, Jan. 22, 1970, at Bryant Pond at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Carl E. Bonney, where she has been cared for since April. Mrs. Morgan had been in ill health for several months.

Born at Bethel, Oct. 27, 1892, she was the daughter of Elbridge and Bertie Cummings Crooker. She came to Bryant Pond as a young girl and was a graduate of Woodstock High School class of 1913. She was married to Henry P. Morgan, June 11, 1914. Mr. Morgan died April 14, 1957. Mrs. Morgan was a member of the Woodstock Senior Citizens Group and a former chairman of the Woodstock Chapter American Red Cross.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Silver, South Woodstock, Mrs. Clementine Jordan, Portland, Mrs. Virginia Poland, Bethel, Mrs. Debra Olson, Bryant Pond; three sons, Edgar and Stanley, both of Bryant Pond and C. Maurice of South Woodstock; 24 grandchildren; six step-grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and 15 step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday from the Bryant Pond Universalist Church. Rev. Joseph Perham officiating. Interment at Lakeside Cemetery.

ORRIS BACHELDER

Orris O. Bachelder died late Wednesday morning, Jan. 28, 1970, at his home in Dixfield.

He was born in Kennebago, March 12, 1921, the son of Moses and Mildred Bachelder. He had resided in Dixfield for more than 10 years and was employed at the Sowell McGregor Corp. as a lathe operator. Mr. Bachelder was a member of the Ren-players Assn.

Surviving are his widow, Bernice, a daughter, Mrs. Sharon Stanley, and two sons, Kevin and Shannon, all of Dixfield. His mother, Mrs. Mildred Swan, and his stepfather, John Swan of Locke Mills; two sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Trapp, Haverhill, and Mrs. Dorothy Dyer, Shirley, Mass.; and three brothers, George of Bethel, Carl of Auburn, and Lewis of Rome.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 from the Hawthorne funeral home, Dixfield, with Rev. Daniel Fenner, Jr., officiating. Interment will be in the East Bethel cemetery.

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TELSTAR ATHLETIC BOOSTERS ACTIVITIES

The Boosters are off to a flying start this year with many activities of interest to all Telstar supporters.

The first big event will be a baked bean supper on Feb. 6 to be held in the Telstar cafeteria. On Feb. 20 at 7:00, there will take place the crowning event of the basketball season when the Booster Women challenge the Telstar Girls' Varsity, followed by another smasher, when the Booster Men take on the Telstar Faculty. Those who recall a similar game last year will agree that it was well worth attending just to watch the faculty cheer leaders.

In a way of explanation for those who may not know, the Telstar Boosters was formed to aid Telstar athletic programs in any way that was possible. Some of the projects undertaken so far have been, last year's athletic banquet, this year's big project of purchasing wall mats for the Telstar gym, and a very successful junior basketball program on Saturday mornings for boys grade five through eight. The Boosters hope to do more, and with the help of all interested supporters it will be possible.

Some of the group's money raising projects have been: membership tickets, refreshments at games, movies and donations from business firms.

The Boosters have been very pleased with the attendance at games, both at home and away. It has been noted that the spectators have stood by the teams through thick and thin. This is the kind of spirit that is needed to have a good school, and the Boosters think it is great.

SNOWMOBILE REGISTRATION LISTS RECORD NUMBER

The Snowmobile Office of the Maine Fish and Game Department in Augusta has registered a record number of machines in less than four months of operation, according to Lorenzo J. Gaudreau, head of the office.

Gaudreau said that about 24,000 machines are now on the books, "and the applications are still pouring in. Although we were swamped and several days behind a short while ago, we are now operating on daily mail," he said.

Maine registered 20,000 snowmobiles last year when the operation was handled by the Motor Vehicle Division. The new snowmobile office was set up within the law passed by the 104th Maine Legislature which went into effect Oct. 1. It is located in Room 215 of the State Office Building.

Eight additional non-resident registration agencies have also been opened, for a total of 14. The state no longer issues temporary permits to out-of-staters. They must pay the regular \$10. Gaudreau emphasized that these stations are for people other than Maine residents. All Maine residents must register at the Augusta office either by mail or in person.

Ernest Angevine has completed a 30-hour small engine trouble-shooting program as an instructor at CMVTI, Lewiston. This week he began instructing another special class strictly on snowmobile engines.

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On the evening of Jan. 12, Mrs. LaVallee's second grade parents came back to school. After notices of "Come Back to School" were sent out, 22 parents arrived for a typical day in the life of their second grader. The Reading, Math, Language, Spelling, Penmanship, Science, Social Studies, Art, Music and Physical Education programs were explained in detail as to purpose, methods, and devices used in educating their children. Actual application was demonstrated by the parents as they read, figured out words, did skills lessons, etc., just as if they

were second graders. Such things as "free time," room arrangement, discipline, ranks, teacher's and children's duties, policies, and procedures were explained.

The parents day back in school revealed what an extensive and full day a second grader has.

All the parents received a report card for their performance that night, and refreshments were served. It is wonderful and reassuring to know that so many parents are actively interested and genuinely concerned with their children's "daily work": education.

"HEAD START" POT LUCK SUPPER TO BE HELD FEB. 4

There will be a "pot luck supper" on Feb. 4 at the Locke Mills Legion Hall at 5:45. Past and present parents are urged to bring a friend. A film on drugs will be seen following the supper. Also, plans for the Valentine Party on Feb. 14 will be discussed.

NEW SCOUT EXECUTIVE NAMED FOR DIXFIELD DISTRICT

Pine Tree Council, Boy Scouts of America, is pleased to announce the selection of Clark P. Hewitt as District Scout Executive for the Rangely District. A native of St. Petersburg, Fla., Clark is retiring as an Army Warrant Officer, most recently serving in Rhode Island. His scouting experience includes Boy Scouting in Florida, where he attained Star Rank, and service as a Cubmaster, Pack and Troop Committeeman, Neighborhood Commissioner and Roundtable Commissioner.

Clark's wife, Akika, comes originally from Kanazawa, Japan, and is now a U. S. citizen. They have an active Scouting family: two Eagle Scouts, two Life Scouts, a Star Scout, a Bobcat, and two Girl Scouts. The Hewitts will reside in Dixfield.

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ARCHIE SMITH

Archie M. Smith of West Paris died unexpectedly Sunday morning, January 25, 1970, at the Maine Medical Center, Portland, where he had been a patient two months.

He was born in West Paris, May 24, 1890, the son of Moses and Nettie Townsend Smith. He was educated in Paris schools and was employed for 24 years at the Bath Shipyard. Mr. Smith was manager of the Air Tool Dept. at the shipyard when he retired in 1966.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Rosa Robinson, South Paris, and three brothers, Jesse of Portland, Samuel of South Paris, and Ralph of West Paris.

Funeral services were held Tuesday from the I. W. Andrews & Son Funeral Home, South Woodstock. Rev. Joseph Perham officiating. Burial in the Spring at the Pleasant Valley Cemetery, South Paris.

BORN

In Norway, Jan. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Nowlin, (Lorraine Davis of South Woodstock) a son, Daren Christie.

In Thalland, Nov. 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dixon, formerly of Andover, a son, Michael.

In Rumford, Jan. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Owen Morton (Virginia Jodrey) of Andover, a daughter.

In Norway, Jan. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Felix Otero of Bryant Pond, a son, Ethan Marcus.

In Norway, Jan. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Harrington of Bethel, a son.

DIED

In Newry, Jan. 25, Leigh S. Flynt, of Poland, aged 17 years.

In Bryant Pond, Jan. 22, Mrs. Annie E. Morgan, aged 77 years.

In Portland, Jan. 25, Archie Smith of West Paris, aged 70 years.

In Dixfield, Jan. 28, Orris O. Bachelder, aged 48 years.

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